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William A. Banks

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Application No.: 10/049,182

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Filed: February 8, 2002

Examiner: Karen M. Williams

For: MODULATION OF THE BLOOD-BRAIN
BARRIER TRANSPORTER FOR LEPTIN

SECOND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

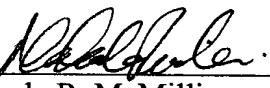
Applicants have previously filed a response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted mailed April 16, 2002 . In that response, Applicants authorized deduction of fees for additional claims. Applicants have attempted to ascertain whether said fees have already been deducted. However, applicants were unable to obtain such confirmation. As such, Applicants are filing a second response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, **Applicants respectfully request that the fee in the amount of \$1080.00 covering the additional claim fees be charged to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 01017/36667/US..**

Transmitted herewith is a "Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)", a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the above-petition.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 01017/36667/US. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: July 16, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Biochemical Sequence Diskette
- Biochemical Sequence Listing
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- **\$130** Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

- Additional claim fees of **\$1080** as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$1210** for a Large Entity:

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$1080**
 - **\$1080** for 116 total claims over 20.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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